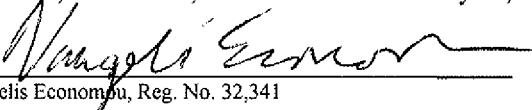


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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed on February 20, 2008, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 20, 2008. A request for an extension of time extending the period for response two months, or until July 20, 2008, is concurrently submitted herewith. This Amendment is being filed within this period, i.e., within five months of the mailing date of the Office Action.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 21 of this paper.